

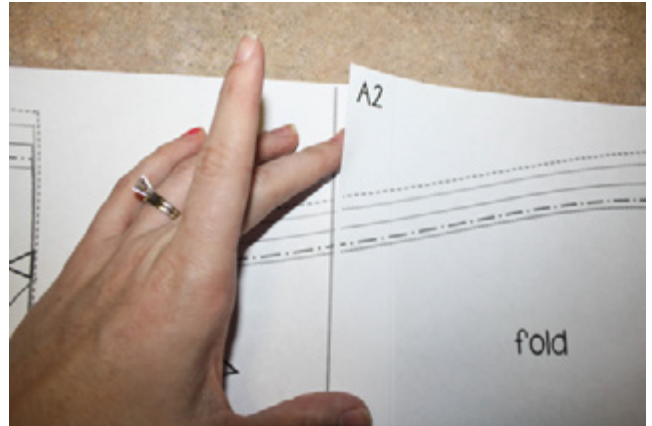
Pirate Pencil Skirt

By: Patterns for Pirates



Before you start:

- Read instructions before beginning.
 - I suggest preparing your fabric exactly how you will care for the finished garment- meaning if you're going to machine wash and dry, do it now! It will prevent any shrinkage, color bleeding, and get any nasty chemicals off!
 - When printing the pattern, make sure scale is set to 'none' or 'actual size.' Take your time matching and taping. Carefully measure the 1"xl" grey square on page A1 to make sure it printed correctly (even if it is off by 1/8" it will change your fit dramatically!)
 - These are NO TRIM pages... just line up edge of paper to dark grey guide line: Here is a video in the [P4P FB group](#) if you need more help: [Video Link](#)
 - You are free to sell products made from the pattern. I would LOVE for you to cite that it was a 'Patterns for Pirates' pattern in your listing!
 - As always, back stitch when starting and ending a seam. Serge or zig zag finish all seams. Sew knit fabric with a stretch stitch.
- All seam allowances are 1/2" unless otherwise stated.**



*Need more help? Here is a blog post for beginners with more info: [Blog Link](#)

Supply List:

- Fabric: Knit fabric with spandex in the blend. The less stretch the tighter it will feel. I recommend at least 30-40% stretch.
- Basic Sewing Supplies: Scissors, sewing machine, thread, iron, and pins.

Printing Guide:

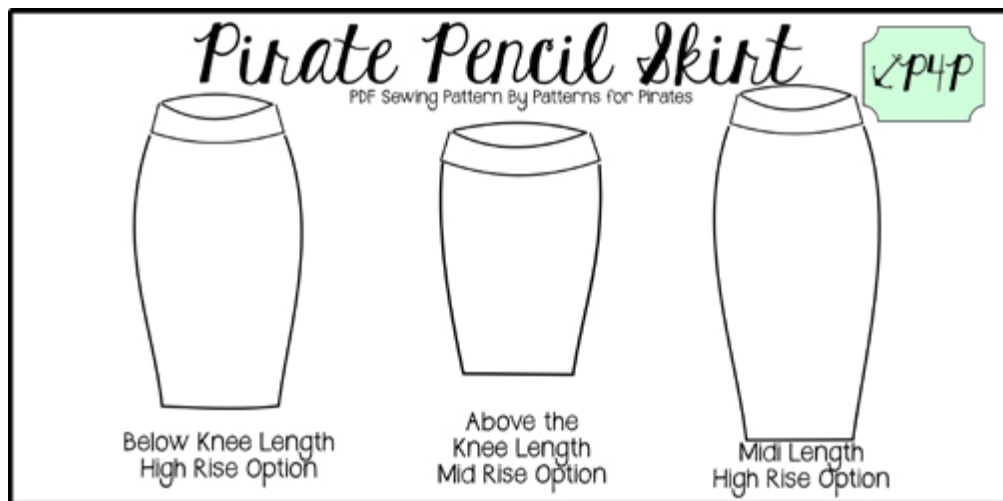
Pattern pages: 13-28

Sizes XXL, Plus IX, 2X and 3X can skip pages: 23,28

Above Knee can skip pages: 18,22,23,27,28

Below knee can skip pages: 18,23,28

**This pattern has layers-meaning you can print only one, a couple, or all the sizes that you'd like. [Here is a blog post for more help using this feature.](#)



Want to see this pattern on all shapes and sizes? Here is the album in the P4P FB Group: [Album Link](#) and a [Round Up Blog Post Here](#).

Size chart: All in inches.

This skirt has negative ease at the waist and full hip. High rise hits at natural waist and Mid rise at high hip. Above Knee is meant to hit about 2" above knee. Below knee is meant to hit just below bottom of knee. Midi length is meant to hit mid calf. Need help measuring? [Here is a blog post](#).

	XXS	XS	S	M	L	XL	XXL	Plus IX	Plus 2X	Plus 3X
Waist	23.5	24.5	25-26	27-28	29-30	31-34	35-38	39-42	43-46	47-50
High Hip	29-30	30-32	32-34	34-36	37-39	40-42	44-46	47-49	50-53	54-56
Hip	33-34.5	35-36	37-38	39-40	41-43	44-45	46-48	49-51	52-54	55-58
Thigh	20.5	21	21.5	22.5	24	25.5	27	28	29.5	31
Waist to Hip	8"									

Fabric Requirements: All in yards. Based on 60" wide fabric, does not account for shrinkage, cut off-grain, patterned fabric (takes more!), etc.

	XXS	XS	S	M	L	XL	XXL	Plus IX	Plus 2X	Plus 3X
Above Knee	1/2									
Below Knee	5/8									
Midi	3/4									
Add For High Rise	1/8									
Waistband	1/4									

Finished Measurements:

All in inches. All measurements are rounded to the closest .25".

Length is from natural waist to hem.

*Patterns are drafted for average height of 5'5". [How to adjust height blog post.](#)

	S	XS	S	M	L	XL	XXL	Plus IX	Plus 2X	Plus 3X
Waist	20	21	22	24	25.5	28	31.5	35	38.75	42.5
Hip	32.75	33.5	34.5	36.5	38.75	40.75	42.75	45	47.75	49.5
Above Knee Length	19.5			19.75	20			20.25		20.5
Below Knee	24			24.25	24.5			24.75		
Midi Length	28.75			29	29.25					

Cut Chart:

(Length x width) The stretch should be going across the width. ALL IN INCHES.

	XXS	XS	S	M	L	XL	XXL	Plus IX	Plus 2X	Plus 3X
Mid Rise Waistband	5 X 28	5 X 29	5 X 31	5 X 33	5 X 34.5	5.5 X 35.5	5.5 X 37.5	6 X 40.5	7 X 42.5	8 X 45
High Rise Waistband	5 X 21	5 X 22	5 X 23	5 X 25	5 X 26.5	5.5 X 29	5.5 X 32.5	6 X 36	7 X 39.75	8 X 43.5
Midi Walking Vent	20 x 3									

Step 1: Side Seams

Optional: Press a memory hem by folding bottom raw edge up to wrong side 1" and pressing a nice crease on both front and back pieces.

With right sides together, and memory hem unfolded, stitch along side seams of front and back pieces.



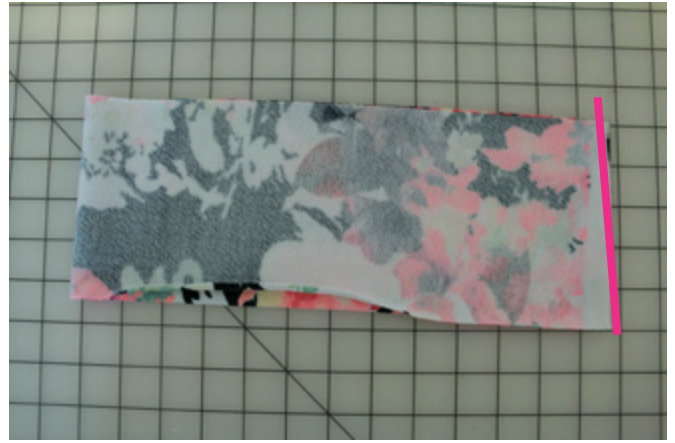
Step 2- Waistband

With right sides together, fold waistband in half width wise and stitch short side. This will create a circle.

With wrong sides together, fold waistband in half length wise and match raw edges.

Mark quarter points on both waistband and top edge of skirt.

Tip- The front and back look very similar if you don't add the walking vent. To help keep them straight, add a little tag to the back at center notch. Mine says, "Size Me" :)



With right sides together, align all raw edges of waistband and top of skirt at quarter points. You can align the waistband seam to center back or a side seam.

*Note- the waistband will be smaller than the skirt.

Stretch waistband to fit skirt. Do not stretch skirt. Stitch.

Flip waistband up and press seam down.



Walking Vent

Length given is for midi length option.

*Note, if you feel the Below Knee option needs one for less stretchy fabrics follow the same construction method, just shorten length by half.

Mark center back of skirt 10".

Cut along line 9.5", leaving 1/2" seam allowance uncut.

Clip 1/2" V shape at the top seam allowance.



Cut binding strip 3"x 20". With wrong sides together, press in half width wise.

Keep binding piece folded and pin raw edges of strip to right side of slit.

When you get to the top V, straighten out so that the V cuts are hitting at the seam allowance along binding.



Stitch binding to slit.

*Note- I recommend using a sewing machine rather than a serger here to reduce bulk.

Press seams.

Turn skirt inside out and press binding out. Clip seam allowance to seam line at the very top corner. I like to baste across the top here on the very edge as well.

Press and pin binding to one side. Baste in place.



Stitch binding along top with final stitch with right sides out.

Front binding will fold under to wrong side. Top stitch down along edge.

Optional: Top-stitch along bottom binding.



Step 3: Hemming

If you pressed a memory hem, re-press memory hem if needed.

Otherwise, fold bottom raw edge up 1" to wrong side and press.

Edgestitch along raw edge.

Pictured with walking vent here:



All done! :)

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And Facebook group!

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Front

Cut 1 on Fold

Stretch



1/2" Seam Allowance Included

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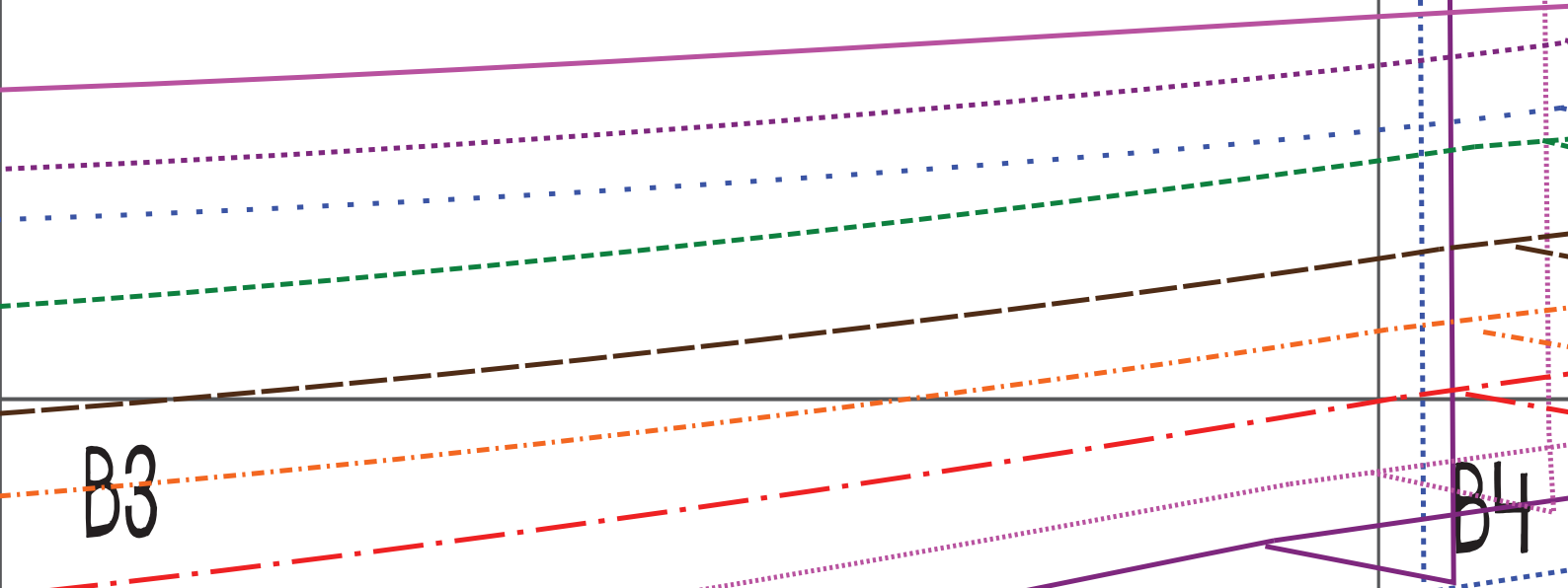
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Above Knee Outline



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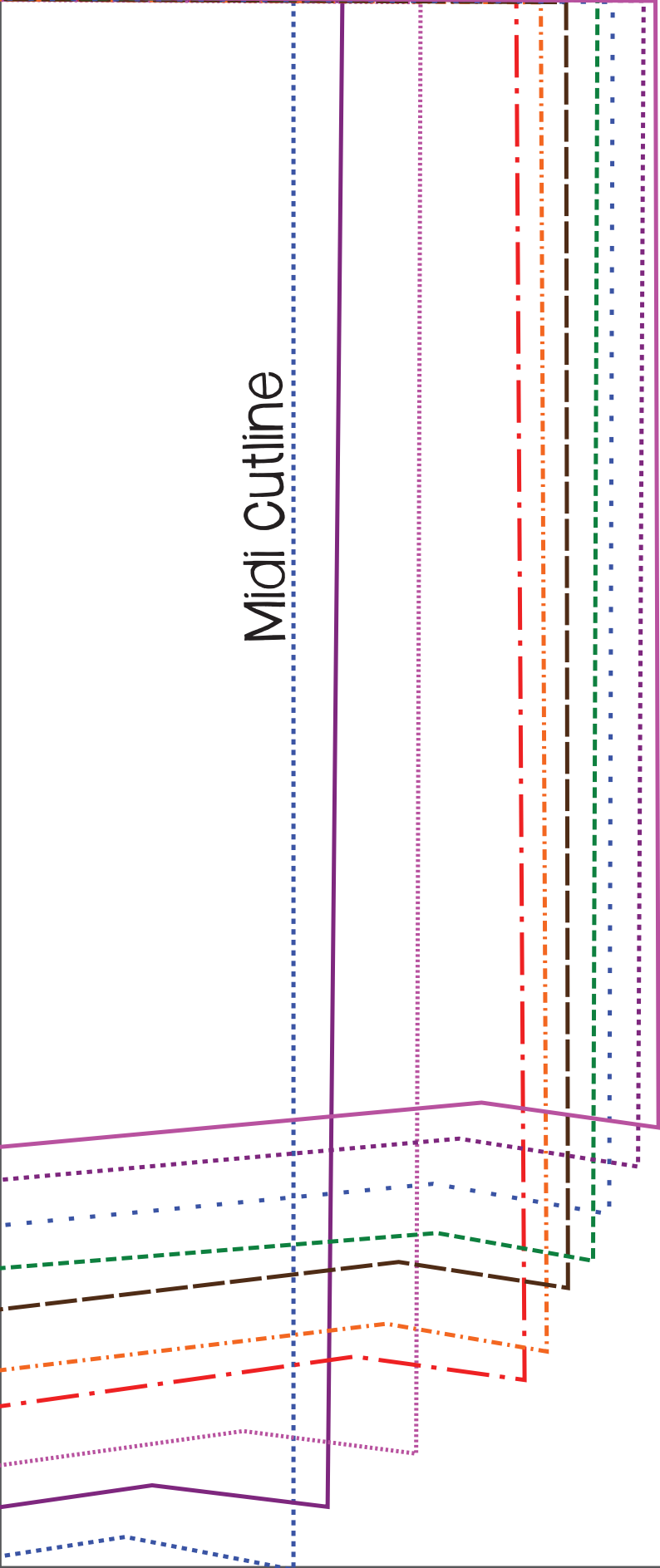
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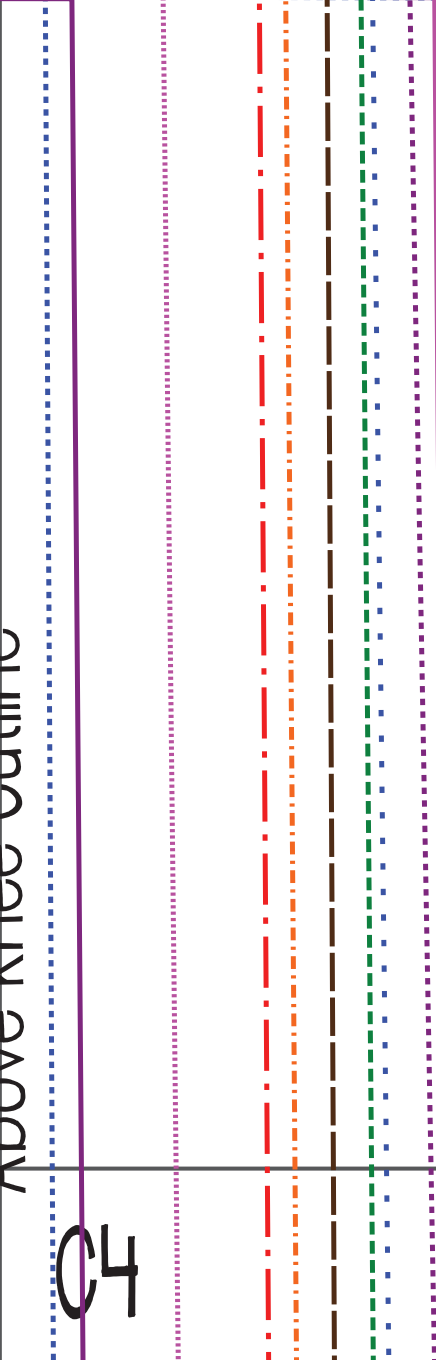
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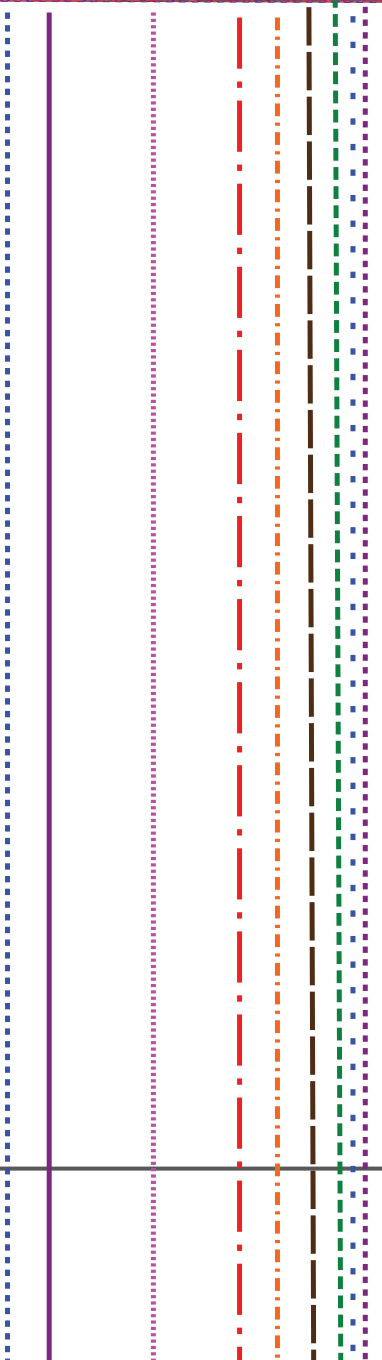
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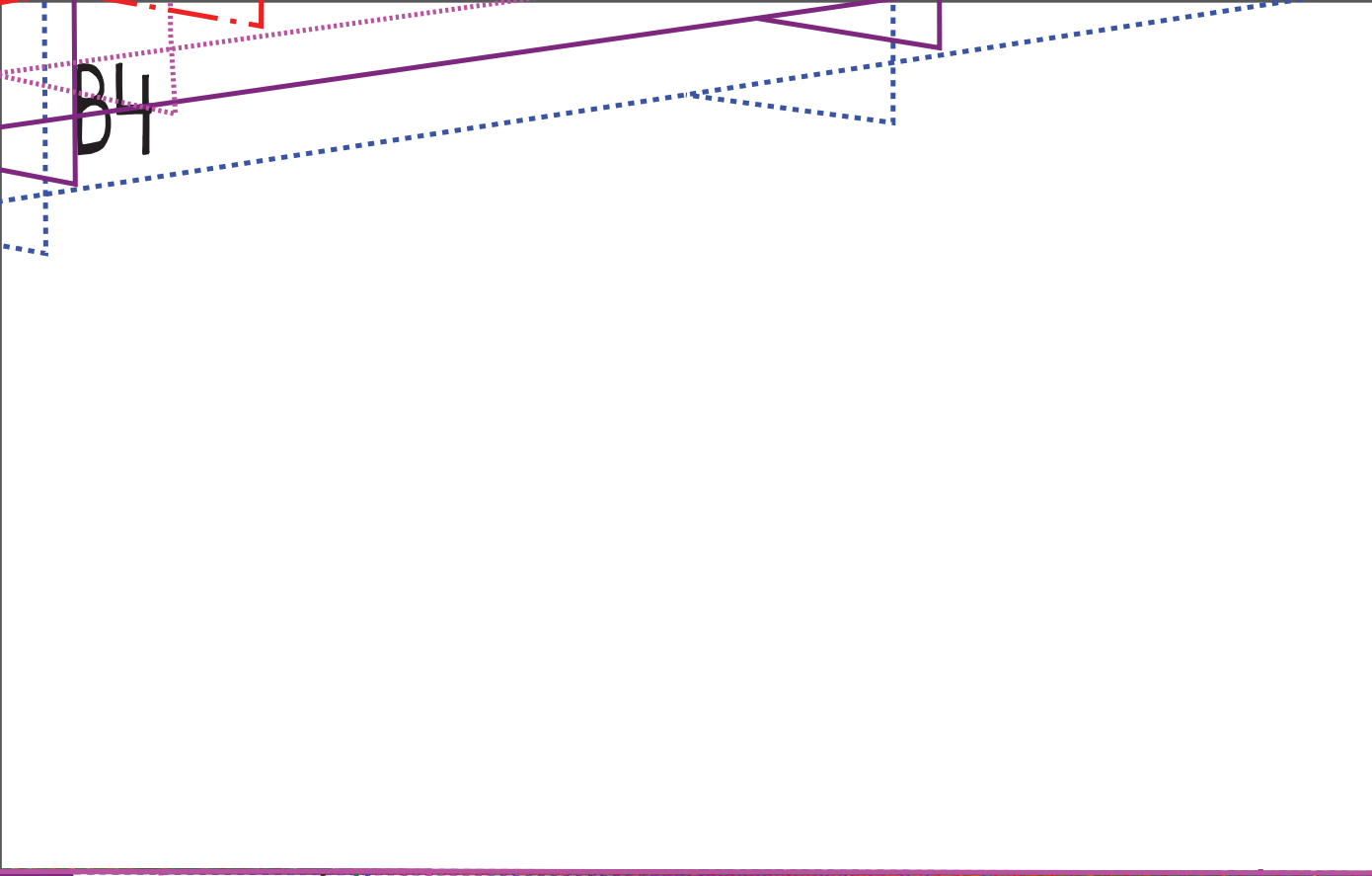


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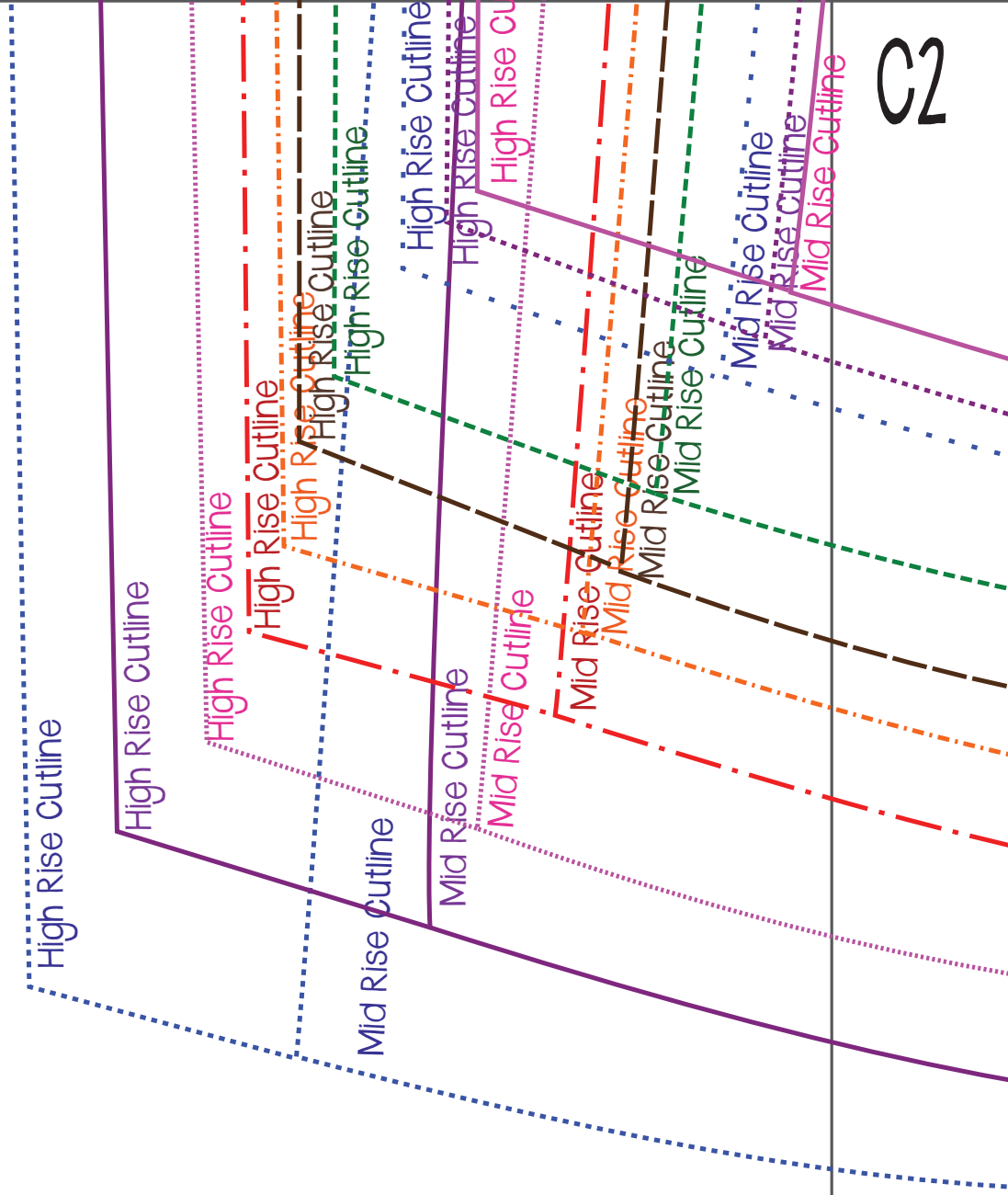
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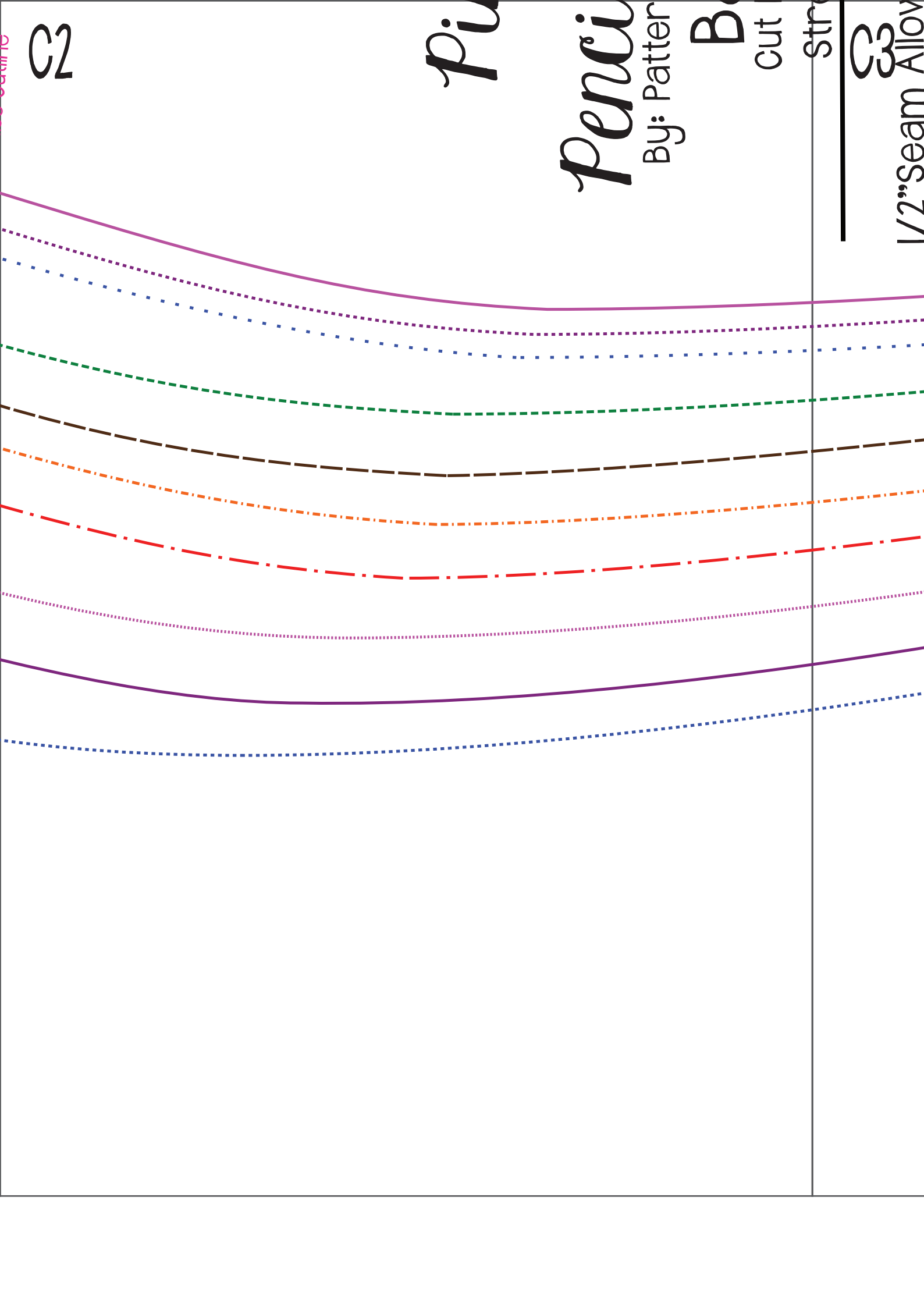
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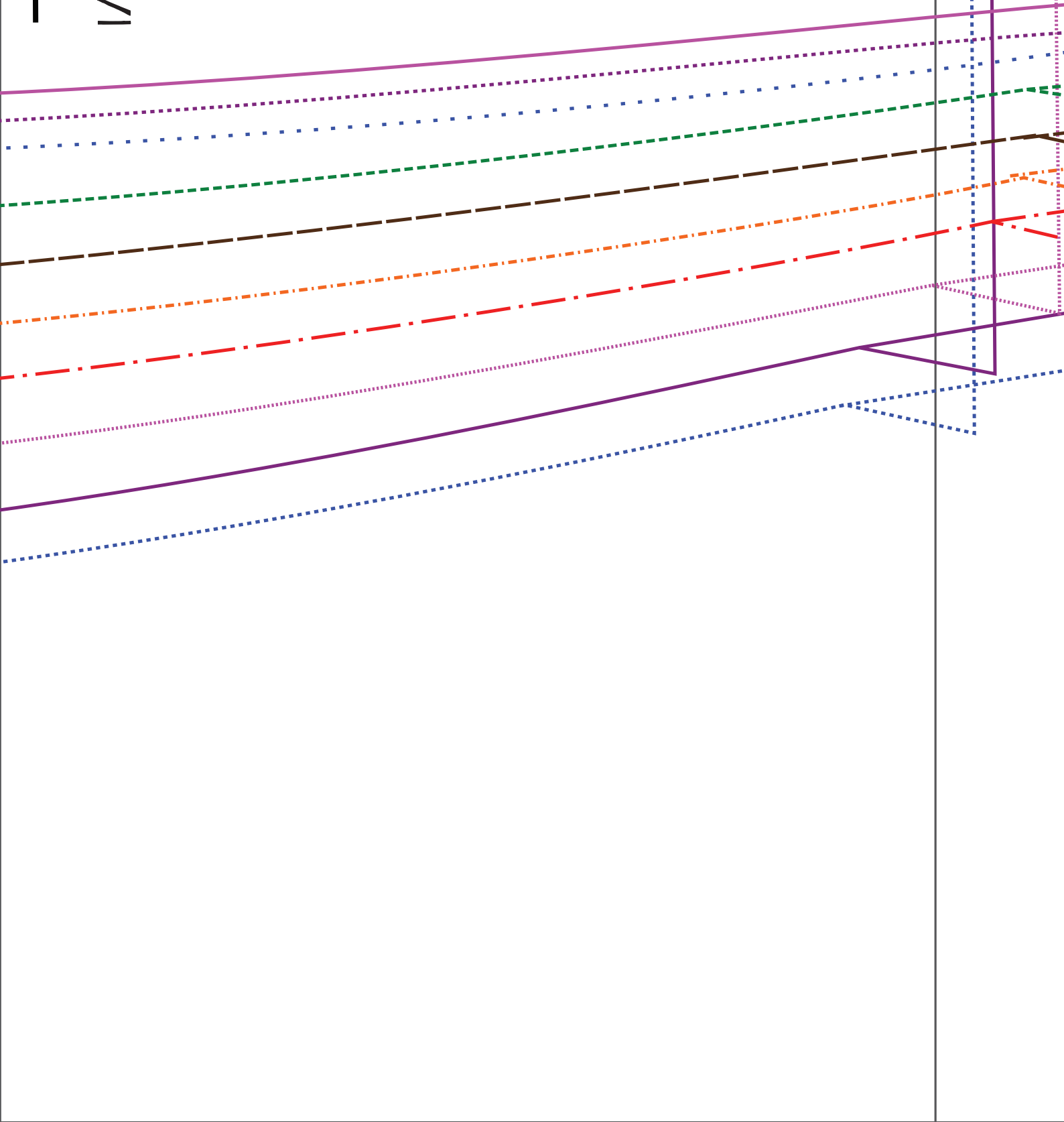
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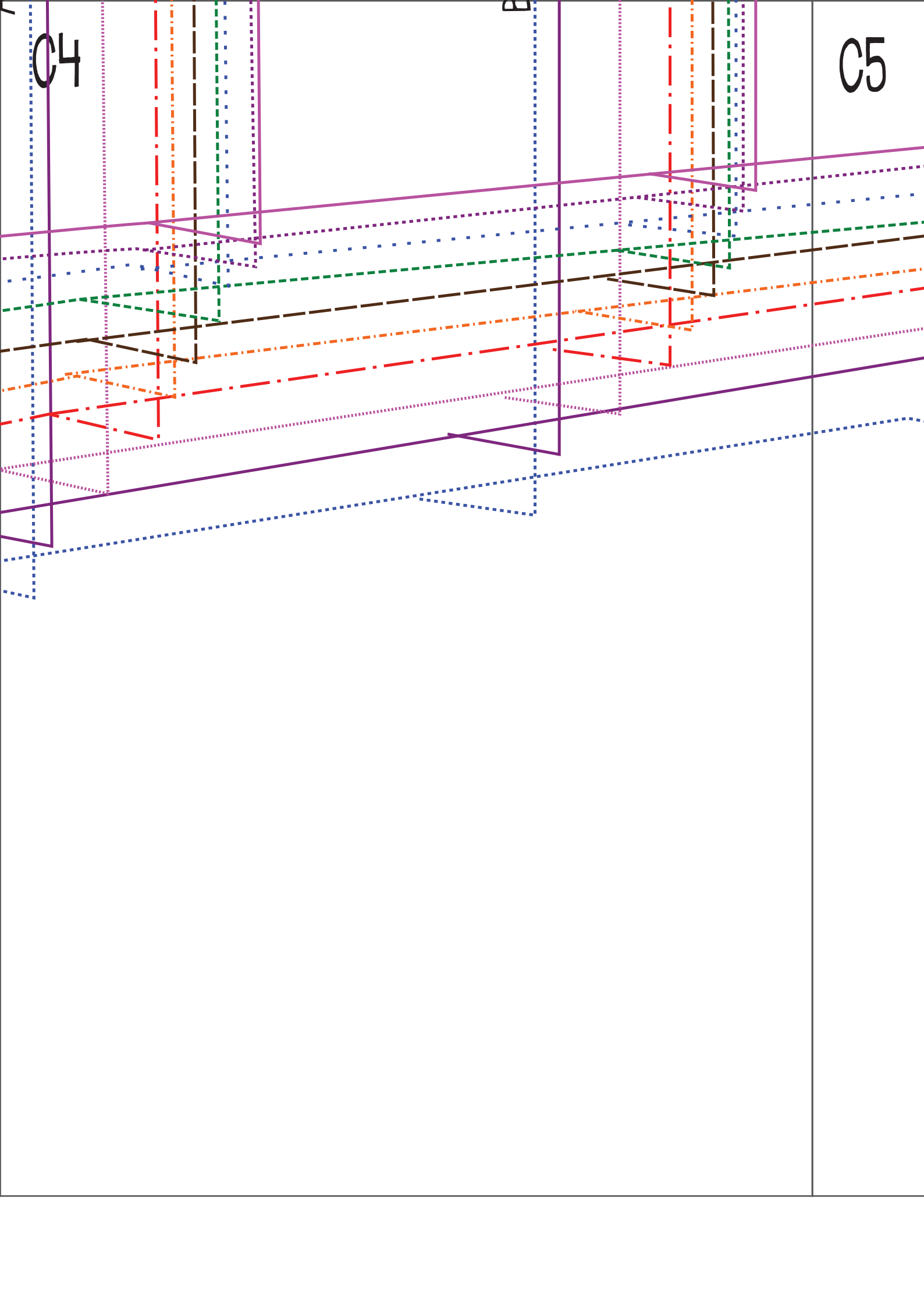
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High Rise Waistband	5 X 21
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